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## Don't Forget to Register Tomorrow!

### WOMEN MUST NOW LEAVE PORT ARTHUR

The Food and Water are Needed  
by Defenders.

The Baltic Fleet Reported at Last  
Ready to Sail—No Big Bat-  
tle Yet.

### SITUATION IN THE FAR EAST

Rome, Oct. 3.—A telegram from Che-  
foo asserts that general Stoessel, in  
command of Port Arthur, has ordered  
all women and children, except nurses,  
to leave the Port in order that food and  
water which are scarce, will last longer.

### THE BALTIC SQUADRON.

St. Petersburg, Oct. 3.—Announce-  
ment is made that Emperor Nicholas  
will visit Ravel Tuesday to bid fare-  
well to the Baltic squadron. After  
months of preparation and several false  
starts, it is believed the squadron is at  
last on the eve of its departure upon  
its long journey.

The question of the war in the far  
east will depend upon the issue of the  
sea fight after the arrival of the Baltic  
fleet.

If the Japanese fleet is caught in  
such a weakened condition that the  
Baltic ships are to win the victory, the  
officials here hold that the other prob-  
lems will solve themselves, and with  
Japanese communications severed, the  
Japanese army on the mainland will  
be at the mercy of the Russians.

### HARD FIGHT AT PORT ARTHUR.

Chefoo, Oct. 3.—Severe fighting, the  
Russians being the aggressors, occurred  
on September 28 and 29, on the west  
shore of Liao Ti promontory, near Pig-  
eon bay, according to a report brought  
by a Chinese who left Port Arthur Sep-  
tember 30. The Russians were in con-  
siderable force and they made several  
sorties, dragging field artillery with  
them. They were unsuccessful, however.  
The Russian ships were silent during  
the battle and the hitherto unused mer-  
chant ships, were, as a result of the  
fight, turned into hospitals.

Several Chinese were employed in car-  
rying the dead, which were so numerous  
they were unable to form anything like  
an estimate of the number who fell in  
attacking and defending the supplement-  
ary forts near Tz mountain. Since the  
battle both sides continue to shell at  
intervals daily.

### EFFORTS TO RETAKE PORTS.

Tokio, Oct. 3.—The Russians are re-  
ported to be desperately endeavoring to  
retake their lost positions, including  
Port Kuropatkin, in the hope of restor-  
ing the water supply of Port Arthur.  
They are said to have repeatedly as-  
saulted the Japanese after shelling from  
neighboring forts and batteries. The  
Japanese continue to hold the positions.  
Both sides are said to have suffered se-  
verely.

Newly mounted Japanese guns are  
said to command the entire harbor.

### FOR TWENTY MILES.

London, Oct. 3.—A correspondent of  
the Times, just returned from the front,  
telegraphing from Tokio, says the Rus-  
sians have two divisions on the Hun  
river, four at Mukden and the remain-  
der of the army concentrated at Tie  
Pass, which they are fortifying.

The three Japanese armies, the cor-  
respondent adds, occupy a front extend-  
ing twenty miles north of Liao Yang  
in their original order.

In connection with the rumors of an-  
other projected sortie of the Port Ar-  
thur squadron, a Shanghai dispatch re-  
ports that a Russian warship was ex-  
pected to arrive at Woosung Sunday  
night.

According to a Japanese correspondent  
such a sortie would only be attempted  
in the last extremity and when the sur-  
render of the garrison could no longer  
be postponed.

### RUSSIAN STEAMER DESTROYED.

Tokio, Oct. 3.—The navy department

### STILL LINGERING NEAR DEATH'S DOOR

Postmaster General Payne Had  
Another Sinking Spell.

This Morning After Seven He Re-  
lapsed—Pittsburg Woman  
Suicides.

### LADY CURZON IMPROVING

Washington, Oct. 3.—Shortly after 3  
o'clock this morning Postmaster-General  
Payne had another sinking spell which  
continued until 7. During that period  
death was momentarily expected, and  
only the use of the most powerful stimu-  
lants in large doses prevented dissolu-  
tion. Since 7 he has rallied somewhat,  
but the danger of death is said to still  
be imminent.

Washington, Oct. 3.—A bulletin issued  
this afternoon says there has been little  
improvement in Postmaster-General  
Payne's condition since morning.

### JUMPED FROM BRIDGE.

Pittsburg, Oct. 3.—A woman found in  
the river here has been identified as  
Emma Prager, inmate of a resort. It is  
supposed she committed suicide by  
jumping from the bridge.

### TOOK CARBOLIC ACID.

New York, Oct. 3.—Charles J. McKay,  
a broker, committed suicide with carbolic  
acid today. He had been ill for some  
time.

### STILL IMPROVES.

London, Oct. 3.—It is announced at  
Wahner Castle this morning that Lady  
Curzon's progress toward convalescence  
continues uninterruptedly.

### FIFTEEN REPORTED KILLED.

London, Oct. 3.—The express train  
which left Llanelli, Wales, today for  
London, met with a serious mishap.  
Details are not received, but it is re-  
ported that fifteen were killed and sev-  
eral injured.

reports the destruction of another Rus-  
sian steamer used in clearing the mines  
at the entrance to Port Arthur harbor.  
The steamer struck a mine and sunk.

The reported loss of a Japanese gun-  
boat south of Liao Tung peninsula by  
striking a mine has not been confirmed.

### MUST PRACTICE ECONOMY.

Tokio, Oct. 3.—Premier Katsura, in  
an interview this morning, said the  
"war will continue a long time. The na-  
tion must be determined to achieve suc-  
cess, and make the necessary sacrifices.  
It is hoped we may be able to secure  
greater economy with a greater effi-  
ciency in local administration.

### RUSSIAN VESSEL LOST.

Tokio, Oct. 3.—The navy department  
reports the destruction of another Rus-  
sian steamer while clearing mines at  
the entrance of Port Arthur. The re-  
ported loss of a Japanese gunboat at the  
Port is unconfirmed.

### A BIG BATTLE.

St. Petersburg, Oct. 3.—The news  
from the front this morning is fragmen-  
tary, indicating that nothing more than  
a continuance of preparations for the  
great battle. This battle now seems  
likely to occur north of Mukden in the  
neighborhood of Tie Ling, on the Liao  
river.

### RAISED HIS MEN.

Chefoo, Oct. 3.—An official report from  
General Stoessel reached Chefoo today  
confirming the previous report of the re-  
pulse of the Japanese attack at Port  
Arthur, which began September 19, and  
ended on the 22nd. Japanese having re-  
tired, Gen. Stoessel issued a proclama-  
tion praising the bravery of his men.

Shanghai, Oct. 3.—A Russian warship  
supposed to be the armored cruiser  
Bayan, of the Port Arthur squadron, is  
reported anchored off Gutzlaf island, in  
Hang Chau bay. Tugs will proceed  
thither to bring her to Shanghai.



YOU CAN TELL BY THE AUTUMN LEAVES WHICH WAY  
THE WIND BLOWS.

### TWELVE LIVES LOST IN NEW MEXICO

Floods Destroy a Whole Town  
Yesterday.

San Grande Valley Devastated—Hun-  
dreds Homeless and Others  
May Be Lost.

### THE TRAINS CANNOT MOVE

Buenos Ayres, Oct. 3.—It is rumored  
that Gen. Basilio, leader of the Uruguay-  
an revolutionists, has been shot by his  
former followers.

Gen. Munoz succeeded to the leader-  
ship of the Uruguayan revolutionists  
after the death of Gen. Aparicio Sariva  
recently. Munoz soon afterward ar-  
ranged peace with the government, but  
eight revolutionary leaders, including  
two members of the family of Sariva,  
announced that they declined to rec-  
ognize the action of Munoz and that they  
could continue hostilities under Gen.  
Ampillon.

The truce between the Uruguayan au-  
thorities and the revolutionists contin-  
ues pending the acceptance or refusal of  
new peace proposals, the provisions of  
which have not been made public. Ad-  
vices give reports of small engagements  
between the revolutionists there and the  
government forces, but they are so con-  
flicting as to render the making of ac-  
curate statements impossible. Both  
sides claim to be masters of the situa-  
tion, but it is believed that the condi-  
tions are practically unchanged from  
those last reported.

It is reported from Corrientes that  
John N. Ruffin, American consul at As-  
uncion, Paraguay, is acting as agent for  
resident Excurra and has telegraphed

### MORE ARRIVE

Delegates to the National Ship-  
wright and Caulkers Here.

The First Meeting Will Be Held  
Tomorrow Morning.

The annual convention of the Interna-  
tional Union of Shipwrights, Joiners  
and Caulkers will begin tonight with  
the address of Mayor D. A. Yeiser, followed  
by the annual address of President  
Hugh Kirk, of Elizabeth, N. J., who  
arrived last night from his home.

The local lodge of shipwrights and  
caulkers has engaged an orchestra and  
will spread a banquet tonight.

Last night and this morning about  
fifteen delegates arrived and they have  
been coming in on every train. By  
night there will be fully thirty delegates  
here and the convention will be one of  
the most successful ever held. This is  
the first time one has been held so far  
south and the Paducah lodge intends  
to show the delegates what Kentucky  
hospitality means.

Among those of prominence here are  
President Hugh Kirk, Elizabeth, N. J.;  
Treasurer and Secretary Thos. Durett,  
Elizabeth, N. J.; First Vice-President  
John McDonald, Buffalo, N. Y., and Ed-  
win Stackhouse, of Elizabeth, N. J.

The regular business of the conven-  
tion will begin tomorrow and the con-  
vention will be open to all visitors who  
care to attend.

to Washington direct or through Ameri-  
can Minister Finch at Montevideo for a  
warship, the object being to assist the  
government.

A memorial shaft erected to the mem-  
ory of pioneers who were massacred at  
Pigeon Roost by Indians was dedicated  
at Underwood, Ind.

### NEW ELECTRIC ROAD WANTS FRANCHISE

Will Apply Tonight for Right  
of Way.

Desires To Go As Far South  
Through Paducah as Tenes-  
see Street.

### THE OFFICERS ARE ELECTED

The Paducah and Cairo Electric Rail-  
way company will tonight at the regular  
meeting of the council ask for a fran-  
chise to enter Paducah. It will ask for  
right-of-way down Eighth street to Clay  
down Clay to Fifth, and up Fifth to  
Tennessee street.

The company, it is understood, will  
shortly be ready to begin work.

It is incorporated for \$250,000, the pa-  
pers being filed a few days ago, and a  
certificate of incorporation was received  
today.

It is not believed that much difficulty  
will be encountered in getting the de-  
sired right of way, as it was given once  
before to a projected railroad line from  
Paducah to Cairo, which project was  
finally abandoned.

From what could be learned today  
there will be little opposition to the  
proposed franchise.

The officers of the new company are  
L. B. Whitesides, president; J. J. Freund-  
lich, vice-president and general man-  
ager; W. H. Paul, secretary; C. E. White-  
sides, treasurer.

R. M. Allen, of Lexington, was elected  
secretary and treasurer of the Pure Food  
congress at its closing session in St.  
Louis.

### A REBEL LEADER SHOT BY SOLDIERS

Was Executed by Revolutionary  
Soldiers.

Some of Them Refused to Recognize  
Him as Their Leader, It Is  
Reported.

### MORE TROUBLE IN PROSPECT

Las Vegas, N. M., Oct. 3.—Half the  
town of Watrous was destroyed by the  
flood and at least twelve persons were  
drowned. Among these were the three  
children of J. A. Stevens, Felix, Vil  
Israel, his wife, two sisters and several  
children and O. F. Porter. J. E. Stev-  
ens and his wife escaped and have been  
brought here. They are in a critica  
condition. Many persons were rescued  
from trees and house-tops.

The greatest damage was around the  
junction of Mora and Sapello creeks.  
The rock crusher, the great iron bridge  
and much track at Watrous were wash-  
ed away.

The Gallinas river formed a new chan-  
nel here. In the Gallinas Canyon the  
dams of the Aqua Pura company broke,  
bringing a terrific flood on the city.  
The Montezuma Hot Springs track went  
out in many places. Half a dozen bridges  
were destroyed, and the Montezuma  
bathhouses were partly carried away.  
For two blocks on Bridge street every  
business house was flooded. The big  
lifelid brick store was ruined and the big  
bridge undermined. Gallinas park is  
under water and the trolley line cannot  
be repaired for two weeks. The race  
meet next week has been declared off.

One hundred thousand dollars will not  
cover the loss to the town and the rail-  
road loss is equal to that of recent floods  
in Arizona.

From Santa Rosa comes a report of  
the loss of the great iron bridge of the  
Rock Island railroad and much track-  
age.

### GIRL DROWNED

Daughter of Naval Officer Meets  
Sad Fate Near Cairo.

Fell From the Steamer Oleander and  
Was Caught Under a Barge.

Cairo, Ill., October 3.—Miss Mar-  
garet Vaile, the 15-year-old daughter  
of Captain Holman Vaile, lieutenant  
commander in the United States navy  
and lighthouse inspector for district  
No. 1, fell from the U. S. lighthouse  
tender Oleander, near Grand Tower,  
Ill., and was drowned.

The young lady, with her father,  
mother and younger sister were on  
the boat, taking the regular inspec-  
tion tour with their father, and Miss  
Vaile in some manner slipped and  
fell between a barge and the boat.

The body was recovered and brought  
to Cairo, where the remains were em-  
balmed and shipped to Aurora, Ill.,  
where the funeral will be held.

No one saw the accident. The mem-  
bers of the crew heard her scream and  
then a splash.

Captain Vaile and family reside in  
Aurora, Ind. Mr. Vaile is an officer  
in the United States navy and was  
detailed as inspector of government  
lighthouses in district No. 16. While  
in the discharge of his duties as in-  
spector, he was accompanied by his  
family.

### NO ENGAGEMENTS.

St. Petersburg, Oct. 3.—Gen. Sakhr-  
hoff reports that the Japanese van-  
guard has been strengthened and re-  
ached a point twenty-five versts southeast  
of Mukden. There has been no serious  
engagements or movements at other  
points.

### THREE ATTEMPTS TO WRECK VESSEL

Startling Admission Regarding  
Connecticut.

No Motive Yet Discovered—Pull-  
man Car Employees Are Back  
at Work.

### A KILLING IN NEW YORK

New York, Oct. 3.—Rear Admiral  
Rodgers, commandant of the Brooklyn  
navy yard, before his retirement today  
made the official announcement that  
three attempts had been made to wreck  
the battleship Connecticut. The mystery  
of the attempts remains unsolved.

Navy department officials are thor-  
oughly aroused over the discovery of the  
latest attempt to injure the new battle-  
ship.

Naval officers here are unable to as-  
cribe a motive unless it was one of pure  
mischief. It is stated here that the in-  
jury to the ship is not serious and re-  
pairs can be made quickly.

Acting Secretary Darling, discussing  
the matter expressed great indignation  
over the repeated efforts that have been  
made to injure the vessel. This last ef-  
fort he particularly characterized as a  
dastardly one and the perpetrator of the  
outrage, if apprehended, he said, de-  
served severe punishment.

### EMPLOYEES BACK AT WORK.

Chicago, Oct. 3.—The employees of  
Pullman car works were called back to  
work today after a four weeks illness.  
There was no recognition of union la-  
bor, each application being made indi-  
vidually. The old terms were offered  
and accepted.

### REJECTED HIS ATTENTION.

New York, Oct. 3.—Rogio, a  
young married woman, shot and killed  
Michael Rogio today, while she held her  
child in her arms. Rogio attempted to  
force his attentions on her.

### EIGHTEEN KILLED

IN A BATTLE BETWEEN MAC-  
EDONIANS AND BULGARIANS.

Athens, October 3.—A fight occurred  
between a strong Macedonian force  
and a Bulgarian band near Ellasone,  
Macedonia. The fight lasted two  
hours and the Macedonian casualties  
were fifteen wounded, while the Bul-  
garians lost eighteen killed.

### CARTOONIST KERR DEAD.

Louisville, Ky., October 3.—George  
Kerr, famous a few years ago as a car-  
toonist and illustrator, is dead at the  
Soldiers' Home in Dayton, O. He  
served in the northern army through-  
out the war, and at its conclusion be-  
came an illustrator for an eastern  
magazine, going later to a New York  
comic paper. He was a friend and  
contemporary of the late Thomas  
Nast.

Joseph W. Calvert, of Pewee Valley,  
was declared the republican nominee for  
congress in the Seventh district by the  
republican committee at Lexington.

### TODAY'S MARKETS.

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WHAT	HIGH	LOW	CLOSE
Dec. ....	112	111 1/2	112 1/2
May ....	114 1/2	114	113 1/2
Cash .....			
Dec. ....	51 1/2	50 1/2	51
May ....	49 1/2	49	49
Cash .....			
May ....	31 1/2	30 1/2	31
Dec. ....	33 1/2	33	33 1/2
Cash .....			
Oct. ....	9 1/2	9 1/2	9 5/8
Dec. ....	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2
Jan. ....	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2
Mar. ....	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2
STOCKS .....			
L. & N. ....	144 1/2	144 1/2	144 1/2
L. & N. ....	127 1/2	127 1/2	127 1/2
U. S. ....	104 1/2	104 1/2	104 1/2
U. S. ....	76 1/2	74 1/2	75 1/2